

## ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

The object of the present invention is to improve convenience of a telephone equipped with a speaker. In order to attain this object, the telephone equipped with a speaker in accordance with the present invention comprises a telephone body and a speakerphone functional unit comprising a microphone and a speaker and capable of  
5 being detachably mounted on the telephone body. The speakerphone functional unit comprises a wireless unit, and exchange of voice signals and control signals with the telephone body is conducted via the wireless circuit. As a result, the speakerphone functional unit can be freely used anywhere, without selecting a special location therefor.